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Applicant: Koichi Takamura
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For Making and Using
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Amendment Accompanying Request for Continued Examination (RCE)

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 16, 2007, Applicants file with this amendment a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) in compliance with 37 CFR 1.114. Applicants respectfully request consideration of the following amendment prior to examination on the merits.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.